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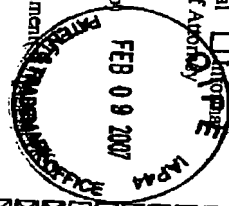
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In Re: Yasuhito HITOMI et al.

For: FISHING REEL, FISHING INFORMATION DISPLAY DEVICE, AND FISHING  
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Patent No.: 7,108,213

: Patent Art Unit: 3654

Issued: September 19, 2006

: Examiner: Evan Langdon

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**REQUEST TO CORRECT THE ASSIGNEE UNDER 37 CFR §3.81(b)**Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Applicants inadvertently failed to include one of the names of the Assignees on the Issue Fee Transmittal Form PTOL-85B. Applicants respectfully request to correct the above-identified mistake. Specifically,

"[73] Assignee: Shimano Inc., Osaka (JP)"

should be

-- [73] Assignee: Shimano Inc., Osaka (JP);  
Furuno Electric Company, Limited, Hyogo (JP) --

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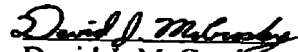
Enclosed is a check for \$130.00 to cover the processing fee of 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i). The assignment was submitted for recordation as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §3.11 before issuance of the patent. Attached is a copy of the Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document that was received from the USPTO. In view of the above comments, Applicants believe that this request fully complies with 37 C.F.R. §3.81(b).

Included herewith is a Request for a certificate of correction under 37 C.F.R. §1.323 and the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.20(a). Applicants respectfully request that the file be forwarded to Certificates of Correction Branch for issuance of a Certificate of Correction.

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If there are any questions regarding this Request, please feel free to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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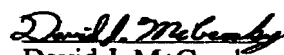
**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.323**Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Certificate of Correction for the above-identified Patent.

Enclosed is a check for \$100.00 to cover the petition fee of 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(a).

Respectfully submitted,

  
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**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.323**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Applicants hereby request that a Certificate of Correction be issued for the above-identified patent, which includes the following corrections:

**ON THE COVER**

"[73] Assignee: Shimano Inc., Osaka (JP)"

should be

-- [73] Assignee: Shimano Inc., Osaka (JP);  
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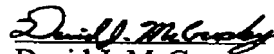
It has come to the attention of the Applicant that the above-identified patent includes a mistake of a clerical or typographical nature and/or of minor character. Applicant respectfully requests that a Certificate of Correction be issued for this patent which corrects the above-identified mistakes. Attached hereto is a complete form PTO/SB/44 which corrects the above-noted mistake in the above-identified patent. Also attached is a check for \$100 to cover the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.20(a).

This mistake occurred in good faith, without any deceptive intent. The correction noted above does not introduce new matter. Moreover, the correction above may be made without substantive reexamination of the type undertaken in reissue and statutory reexamination proceedings. In view of the above comments, and the nature of the above corrections, Applicant believes this request fully complies with 35 U.S.C. §255 and 37 C.F.R. §1.323. Thus, Applicant respectfully requests issuance of a formal Certificate of Correction for the above-identified patent.

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If there are any questions regarding this Request, please feel free to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

  
David J. McCrosky  
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PATENT NO : 7,108,213

DATED : September 19, 2006

INVENTOR(S) : HITOMI et al.

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent are hereby corrected as shown below:

On the cover page change the listing of [73] Assignee from

"[73] Assignee: Shimano Inc., Osaka (JP)"

to

– [73] Assignee: Shimano Inc., Osaka (JP);  
Furuno Electric Company, Limited, Hyogo (JP) –

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Patent No. : 7,108,213 B2  
Issue Date : September 19, 2006  
Ser. No. : 10/674,067  
Inventor(s) : Hitomi, et al.  
Title : FISHING REEL, FISHING INFORMATION  
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INFORMATION DISPLAY SYSTEM

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Re: Request for Certificate of Correction

Consideration has been given your request for the issuance of a certificate of correction for the above-identified patent under the provisions of Rule(s) 1.322 and/or 1.323.

Assignees' names and addresses (assignment data) printed in a patent, are based *solely* on information supplied in the appropriate space for identifying the assignment data, i.e., item 3 of the Issue Fee Transmittal Form PTOL-85B. Granting of a request under 37 CFR 3.81(b) is required to correct applicant's error providing incorrect or erroneous assignment data, *before* issuance of a Certificate of Correction, under 37 CFR 1.323 (*see Manual of Patent Examining Procedures (M.P.E.P) Chp.1400, sect. 1481*). This procedure is required *at any time after the issue fee is paid*, including after issuance of the patent.

In view of the foregoing, your request is hereby denied.

A request to correct the Assignee under 37 CFR 3.81(b) should include:

- A. the processing fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.117(h) (currently \$130);
- B. a statement that the failure to include the correct assignee name on the PTOL-85B was inadvertent; and
- C. a copy of the Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document, reflecting the reel and frame number where the assignment(s) is recorded and/or reflecting proof of *the date* the assignment was submitted for recordation.

*In the Request*, Applicant(s) may request that the file be forwarded to Certificates of Correction Branch, for issuance of a Certificate of Correction, if the Request is granted.

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Alexandria, VA 22314

**By fax:** (571) 272-3218  
ATTN: Office of Petitions

**If a fee (currently \$100) was previously submitted for consideration of a Request for Certificate of Correction, under CFR 1.323, to correct assignment data, no additional fee is required.**

**Valerie Jackson  
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